A.—The Hon'ble Sri H. C. DASAPPA (Minister for Finance and Industries).—

(*a*) No.

(*b*) Does not arise in view of answer to (*a*) above.

Terms and conditions of transfer of Concerns to private agency.

Q.—166. Sri C. R. BASAPPA (Tumkur District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether any decision has been taken in regard to the number and nature of the concerns to be transferred to private agency ;

(*b*) if so, the terms and conditions of such transfer ?

A.—The Hon'ble Sri H. C. DASAPPA (Minister for Finance and Industries).—

(*a*) and (*b*) The matter is still under consideration. The Standing Committee for Industries and Commerce has appointed a Sub-Committee to go into this and other connected subjects. Action will be taken by Government after the recommendations of the Standing Committee are received.

Accidents in Tunga Channel Construction Work.

Q.—275. Sri K. H. MUDIYAPPA (Chikmagalur District—General).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :—

(*a*) whether they have commenced the work relating to "Tunga Channel";

(*b*) the length of the channel (in miles) to be constructed ;

(*c*) whether there is necessity for boring a tunnel while constructing this channel ;

(*d*) if so, the length of the tunnel that has to be bored ; whether any accident has occurred while boring the tunnel ;

(*e*) whether the opinion of experts has been obtained regarding the level at which this tunnel has to be bored ;

(*f*) (i) whether there have been any casualties while boring this tunnel ;

(ii) if so, whether they have given or intend giving compensation to the families of persons who died as a result of accidents that occurred in the course of the construction of the tunnel (the number of persons who died may kindly be intimated) ?

A.—The Hon'ble Sri T. MARIAPPA (Home Minister).—

(*a*) Yes.

(*b*) Work restricted to Left Bank Channel – 20 miles. Work restricted to Right Bank Channel—4 miles for the present.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) 1,500 feet. Yes.

(*e*) Yes.

(*f*) (i) Yes.

(ii) Action is being taken to give necessary compensation as per rules.

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Request for distribution of List of Business the previous day.

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡರು (ತುಮಕೂರು ಜಿಲ್ಲೆ).—ಸ್ವಾಮಿ, ಈ ದಿವಸದ ಕಾರ್ಯ ಕಲಾಪಗಳೇನೆಂಬುದನ್ನು ಒಂದು ದಿವಸ ಮುಂಚಿತವಾಗಿಯೇ ಅಥವಾ ಕೆಲವು ಘಂಟೆ ಗಳ ಮುಂಚಿತವಾಗಿಯಾದರೂ ತಿಳಿಸಿದ್ದರೆ ಚೆನ್ನಾಗಿರುತ್ತಿತ್ತು. ಹಾಗೆ ಒಂದು ಅನುಕೂಲ ಮಾಡದೆ ಇರುವುದರಿಂದ ನಮಗೆ ಕಾರ್ಯ ಕ್ರಮದ ರೀತಿ ಗೊತ್ತಾಗದೆ ನಾವೇನಾದರೂ ಒಂದು ನಿಮಿಷ ತಡವಾಗಿ ಬಂದರೆ ಅದರಿಂದ ತುಂಬಾ ಅನಾನುಕೂಲಗಳಾಗುತ್ತಿವೆ.

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು (ಮಾನ್ಯ ಶ್ರೀ ವಿ. ವೆಂಕಟಪ್ಪ ನವರು).—ನೆನ್ನೆಯ ಸಾಯಂಕಾಲವೇ ಹಂಚಲು ಕಳುಹಿಸಿತ್ತಲ್ಲಾ ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಬಿ. ಹುಚ್ಚೇಗೌಡರು.—ನೆನ್ನೆ ದಿವಸ ನಮಗೆ ಯಾವುದೂ ಬರಲಿಲ್ಲ. ಈಗತಾನೆ ನಮ್ಮ ಕೈಸೇರಿದೆ.

Mr. SPEAKER.—They were given last evening.

The Hon'ble Sri K.T. BHASHYAM.—According to the rules, "one hour before the meeting for which the list is prepared ".

ಅಧ್ಯಕ್ಷರು.—ನೆನ್ನೆಯ ಸಾಯಂಕಾಲವೇ ಡಿಸ್ಟ್ರಿಬ್ಯೂಷನ್‌ಗೆ ಕೊಡಲಾಗಿತ್ತು. ಅದನ್ನು ವಿಚಾರಿಸಿ ನೋಡುತ್ತೇನೆ.

I will find out why they were not made available to the Hon'ble Member.

MOTIONS FOR ELECTIONS.

Election to Standing Committees.

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY (Leader of the House.)—I move :—

"That this Assembly do proceed to the election of one member each to the following four Standing Committees to fill up vacancies in accordance with para 10 of Government Order No. 2939-3028—L.A. 87-50-1, dated the 5th January 1951 :—

(1) Agriculture, Food and Civil Supplies,
(2) Public Works,
(3) Electricity,
(4) Publicity and Information."

Mr. SPEAKER.—The question is :—

"That this Assembly do proceed to the election of one member each to the following four Standing Committees to fill up vacancies in accordance with para 10 of the Government Order No. 2939-3028—L.A. 87-50-1, dated the 5th January 1951, namely ;—

(1) Agriculture, Food and Civil Supplies,
(2) Public Works,
(3) Electricity,
(4) Publicity and Information."

The motion was adopted.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Chair desires to inform the House that for the purpose of election of one member each to the four Standing Committees, the office of the Secretary will be open to receive notice of candidature up to 3 P.M. on Thursday the 1st November 1951 and that the election for the Standing Committees, if necessary, will take place on Saturday the 3rd November 1951, in the Secretary's room between the hours of 3 P.M. and 5 P.M.

The election will be conducted as laid down in the said Government Order by means of simple majority vote.

Election to the Senate of the University of Mysore.

The Hon'ble Sri K. CHENGALARAYA REDDY (Leader of the House).—I move :—

"That this Assembly do proceed to the election of twelve members to the Senate in accordance with section 13 (1) (h) of the Mysore University Act, 1933."

Mr. SPEAKER.—The question is :—

"That this Assembly do proceed to the election of twelve members to the Senate in accordance with section 13 (1) (h) of the Mysore University Act, 1933."

The motion was adopted.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Chair desires to inform the House that for the purpose of election of twelve members to the Senate, the office of the Secretary will be open to receive notice of candidature up to 3 P.M. on Thursday the 1st November 1951 and that the election, if necessary, will take place on Saturday the 3rd November 1951 in the Secretary's room between the hours of 3 P.M., and 5 P.M.

The election will be conducted as laid down in the said Act according to the principle of proportional representation by means of the single transferable vote.

Presentation of the Report of Committee of Privileges.

Mr. SPEAKER (The Hon'ble Sri V. Venkatappa).—As required by Rule 172 (6) of the Rules of Procedure and Conduct of Business in the Mysore Legislative Assembly, I present the Report of the Committee of Privileges.

FINANCIAL BUSINESS.

Recommendation of His Highness for laying before the House Statement of Additional Grants.

Mr. SPEAKER (The Hon'ble Sri V. Venkatappa).—I have received the following recommendation of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, for laying before the Assembly the Schedule of Demands for Supplementary and Additional Grants for the year 1951-52. The order reads as follows :—

"Whereas the amount authorised by the Mysore Appropriation Act, 1951 (Mysore Act of 1951) to be expended for the services indicated in the annexed statement for the current financial year is found to be insufficient for the purposes of the said year;